

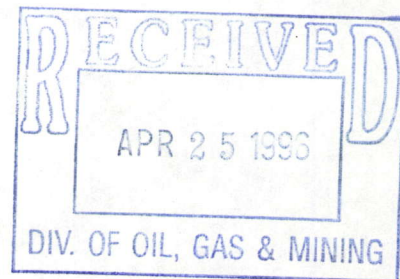
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RE: Update and Extension Request

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

It has been brought to my attention from Mr. Patrick Collins of Mt. Nebo Scientific, that a permit application is needed from Larson Limestone Company (LLC) through the State of Utah Minerals Reclamation Program. Evidently Mr. Collins met with you and your staff in December 1995 to outline what is needed from LLC to be submitted through your program. At that time RAM was expected to purchase LLC and made arrangements with Mt. Nebo Scientific to begin work in the near future. Subsequently, RAM did not purchase LLC and the communication between LLC and Mt. Nebo Scientific was temporarily lost.

Currently LLC is in the process of being sold to Industrial Management Engineering (IME) from COVOL Technologies. All the necessary documents have been completed with the exception of some audited statements which are being examined at this time. However, the transaction is fully expected to be executed.

It is therefore our intention to request an extension to provide most of the application mentioned above to your department by August 2, 1996. I apologize for the mis-communication and inconvenience this may have caused to you and your staff. Please let us know if this new date is acceptable.

Sincerely,

Jerry Larson
Jerry Larson
Director

cc: Patrick D. Collins